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October 17, 2013

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communication Commission
Office of the Secretary
9300 East Hampton Drive
Capitol Heights, MD 20743

RE: Connect America Fund, WC Dkt. No. 10-90;
Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization, WC Docket No. 11-42

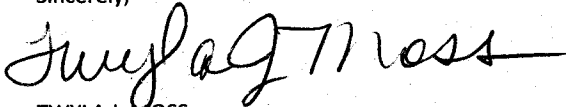
Dear Ms. Dortch:

S&A Telephone Company ("Company") hereby files its FCC Form 481 Carrier Annual Reporting and certification as required by Sections 54.313 and 54.422 of the Commission's rules in accordance with the guidance of the Public Notice issued August 6, 2013 (DA 13-1707). A copy of this report has also been filed with the Universal Service Administrative Company and state public service commission.

Portions of this filing are being made confidentially in accordance with the Federal Communications Commission's *Third Protective Order*¹ in this docket. Specifically, the Company requests confidential treatment of the financial statements. This information is competitively sensitive and is not normally released to the public; release of such sensitive data could give the Company's competitors an advantage in its markets.

Specifically, this filing submission includes one copy of the Confidential Document and two copies of the Confidential Document in Redacted Form with the cover letter. Company has also filed a redacted version through the FCC's e-filing system. Please feel free to contact me at (918) 865-2039 or email at tmoss@signal-telcom.com with any further questions.

Sincerely,



TWYLA J. MOSS

Director of Settlements

C: Charles Tyler, FCC, Telecommunications Access Policy Division (two confidential copies)

/tjm Enclosures

¹ In re: Developing a Unified Inter-carrier Compensation Regime; Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers; Connect America Fund; High-Cost Universal Service Support; A National Broadband Plan for Our Future, CC Dkt. Nos. 07-135, 10-90, 05-337, GN Dkt. No. 09-51, *Third Protective Order* DA 10-1749 (rel. August 30, 2012).

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ANNUAL REPORTING FOR ALL CARRIERS		54.313 Completion Required	54.422 Completion Required
<100> Service Quality Improvement Reporting	(complete attached worksheet)	(check box when complete)	
<200> Outage Reporting (voice)	(complete attached worksheet)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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<500> Service Quality Standards & Consumer Protection Rules Compliance	(check to indicate certification)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<510> 411829KS510	(attach descriptive document)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<600> Functionality in Emergency Situations	(check to indicate certification)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<610> 411829KS610	(attach descriptive document)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<700> Company Price Offerings (voice)	(complete attached worksheet)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<710> Company Price Offerings (broadband)	(complete attached worksheet)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<800> Operating Companies and Affiliates	(complete attached worksheet)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<900> Tribal Land Offerings (Y/N)? <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>	(if yes, complete attached worksheet)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<1000> Voice Services Rate Comparability	(check to indicate certification)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<1010>	(attach descriptive document)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<1100> Terrestrial Backhaul (Y/N)? <input checked="" type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>	(if not, check to indicate certification)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<1110>	(complete attached worksheet)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<1200> Terms and Condition for Lifeline Customers	(complete attached worksheet)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Price Cap Carriers, Proceed to Price Cap Additional Documentation Worksheet
 Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers

<2000>	(check to indicate certification)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<2005>	(complete attached worksheet)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Rate of Return Carriers, Proceed to ROR Additional Documentation Worksheet

<3000>	(check to indicate certification)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<3005>	(complete attached worksheet)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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**(100) Service Quality Improvement Reporting
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<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	(918) 865-2039
<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	tmoss@signal-telcom.com
<110>	Has your company received its ETC certification from the FCC?	(yes / no) <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
	If your answer to Line <110> is yes, do you have an existing §54.202(a) "5	
<111>	year plan" filed with the FCC?	(yes / no) <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>

If your answer to Line <111> is yes, then you are required to file a progress report, on line <112> delineating the status of your company's existing § 54.202(a) "5 year plan" on file with the FCC, as it relates to your provision of voice telephony service.

- <112>** Attach Five-Year Service Quality Improvement Plan or, in subsequent years, your annual progress report filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(a)(1). If your company is a CETC which only receives frozen support, your progress report is only required to address voice telephony service.

Name of Attached Document (.pdf)

Please check these boxes below to confirm that the attached PDF, on line 112, contains a progress report on its five-year service quality improvement plan pursuant to § 54.202(a). The information shall be submitted at the wire center level or census block as appropriate.

- <113>** Maps detailing progress towards meeting plan targets
- <114>** Report how much universal service (USF) support was received
- <115>** How (USF) was used to improve service quality
- <116>** How (USF) was used to improve service coverage
- <117>** How (USF) was used to improve service capacity
- <118>** Provide an explanation of network improvement targets not met in the prior calendar year.

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**(900) Tribal Lands Reporting
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<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	tmoss@signal-telcom.com

<910> Tribal Land(s) on which ETC Serves

<920> Tribal Government Engagement Obligation

Name of Attached Document (.pdf)

If your company serves Tribal lands, please select (Yes, No, NA) for each these boxes to confirm the status described on the attached PDF, on line 920, demonstrates coordination with the Tribal government pursuant to § 54.313(a)(9) includes:

- <921> Needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions;
- <922> Feasibility and sustainability planning;
- <923> Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner;
- <924> Compliance with Rights of way processes
- <925> Compliance with Land Use permitting requirements
- <926> Compliance with Facilities Siting rules
- <927> Compliance with Environmental Review processes
- <928> Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes
- <929> Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing requirements.

Select (Yes, No, NA)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>
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**(1100) No Terrestrial Backhaul Reporting
Data Collection Form**

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<1120> Please check this box to confirm no terrestrial backhaul
options exist within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(G) ☐

<1130> Please check this box to confirm the reporting carrier offers
broadband service of at least 1 Mbps downstream and 256 kbps
upstream within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(G) ☐

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**(1200) Terms and Condition for Lifeline Customers
Lifeline
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<1210> Terms & Conditions of Voice Telephony Lifeline Plans

Name of attached document (.pdf)

<1220> Link to Public Website

HTTP: www.satelephone.com

"Please check these boxes below to confirm that the attached PDF,
on line 1210, or the website listed, on line 1220,
contains the required information pursuant to §
54.422(a)(2) annual reporting for ETCs receiving low-income
support, carriers must annually report:

- <1221> Information describing the terms and conditions of any voice telephony service plans offered to Lifeline subscribers, ☒
- <1222> Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan, ☒
- <1223> Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each such plan. ☒

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(2000) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation

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<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	twymoss@signal-telcom.com

CHECK the boxes below to note compliance as a recipient of Incremental Connect America Phase I support, frozen High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(b),(c),(d),(e) the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

Incremental Connect America Phase I reporting

<2010> 2nd Year Certification (47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)) ☐

<2011> 3rd Year Certification (47 CFR § 54.313(b)(2)) ☐

Price Cap Carrier Receiving Frozen Support Certification (47 CFR § 54.312(a))

<2012> 2013 Frozen Support Certification ☐

<2013> 2014 Frozen Support Certification ☐

<2014> 2015 Frozen Support Certification ☐

<2015> 2016 and future Frozen Support Certification ☐

Price Cap Carrier Connect America ICC Support (47 CFR § 54.313(d))

<2016> Certification Support Used to Build Broadband ☐

Connect America Phase II Reporting (47 CFR § 54.313(e))

<2017> 3rd year Broadband Service Certification ☐

<2018> 5th year Broadband Service Certification ☐

<2019> Interim Progress Certification ☐

<2020> Please check the box to confirm that the attached PDF, on line 2021, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313 (e)(3)(ii), as a recipient of CAF Phase II support shall provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year. ☐

<2021> Interim Progress Community Anchor Institutions ☐

Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information _____

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(3000) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation	FCC Form 481
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CHECK the boxes below to note compliance on its five year service quality plan (pursuant to 47 CFR § 54.202(a)) and, for privately held carriers, ensuring compliance with the financial reporting requirements set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2). I further certify that the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

Progress Report on 5 Year Plan	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	
(3010) Milestone Certification (47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(i)) Please check this box to confirm that the attached PDF, on line 3012, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(1)(i), as a recipient of CAF Phase II support shall provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year.		<input type="checkbox"/>
(3012) Community Anchor Institutions (47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(ii)) (3013) Is your company a Privately Held ROR Carrier (47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2)) (3014) If yes, does your company file the RUS annual report Please check these boxes to confirm that the attached PDF, on line 3017, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2) compliance requires: (3015) Electronic copy of their annual RUS reports (Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers) (3016) PDF of Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Yes/No) <input type="checkbox"/> (Yes/No)
(3017) If the response is yes on line 3014, attach your company's RUS annual report and all required documentation (3018) If the response is no on line 3014, is your company audited? If the response is yes on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission, on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains: (3019) Either a copy of their audited financial statement; or (2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications (3020) PDF of Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows (3021) Management letter issued by the independent certified public accountant that performed the company's financial audit. If the response is no on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission, on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains: (3022) Copy of their financial statement which has been subject to review by an independent certified public accountant; or 2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers, (3023) Underlying information subjected to a review by an independent certified public accountant (3024) Underlying information subjected to an officer certification. (3025) PDF of Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows (3026) Attach the worksheet listing required information	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Yes/No) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 411829K83026

Certification - Reporting Carrier Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF THE REPORTING CARRIER IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTING ON ITS OWN BEHALF:

Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Annual Reporting for CAF or LI Recipients	
I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual reporting requirements for universal service support recipients; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form and in any attachments is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	Date
Signature of Authorized Officer:	
Printed name of Authorized Officer:	
Title or position of Authorized Officer:	
Telephone number of Authorized Officer:	
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier:	Filing Due Date for this form:
Persons willfully making false statements on this form can be punished by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.	

Certification - Agent / Carrier Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF AN AGENT IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS ON THE CARRIER'S BEHALF:

Certification of Officer to Authorize an Agent to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier	
I certify that (Name of Agent) <u>Janet M. Bathurst</u> is authorized to submit the information reported on behalf of the reporting carrier. I also certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual data reporting requirements provided to the authorized agent; and, to the best of my knowledge, the reports and data provided to the authorized agent is accurate.	
Name of Authorized Agent:	Janet M. Bathurst
Name of Reporting Carrier:	S & A TEL CO INC
Signature of Authorized Officer:	CERTIFIED ONLINE
Printed name of Authorized Officer:	Janet Bathurst
Title or position of Authorized Officer:	General Manager & Vice President
Telephone number of Authorized Officer:	620-528-3223
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier:	411829
Filing Due Date for this form: 10/15/2013	
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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE AUTHORIZED AGENT:

Certification of Agent Authorized to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier	
I, as agent for the reporting carrier, certify that I am authorized to submit the annual reports for universal service support recipients on behalf of the reporting carrier; I have provided the data reported herein based on data provided by the reporting carrier; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported herein is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	S & A TEL CO INC
Name of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	Twyla Moss
Signature of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	CERTIFIED ONLINE
Printed name of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	Twyla Moss
Title or position of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	Director of Settlements
Telephone number of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	(918) 865-2039
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier:	411829
Filing Due Date for this form: 10/15/2013	
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Attachments

(800) Operating Companies
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<810>	Reporting Carrier	S&A Telephone Co.
<811>	Holding Company	American Broadband Acquisition Co.
<812>	Operating Company	

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Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Compliance Explanation Document:

S&A Telephone Company is in compliance with all Federal and State service quality standards and consumer protection rules.

The Kansas Corporation Commission has defined standards for service quality in Docket #95-GIMT-047-GIT for incumbent local exchange carriers. S&A Telephone Company is in compliance with these rules. The company has systems in place for customers with regard to service trouble reporting, billing issue questions and complaints, service offerings information, after hours service problem reporting and other customer issues resolution. S&A Telephone complies with the Billing Standards requirements adopted in Kansas Corporation Commission Docket #06-GIMT-187-GIT.

S&A Telephone Company submits quality standards reports electronically to the Kansas Corporation Commission on a quarterly basis.

S&A Telephone Company also complies with all applicable consumer protection rules including the implementation of customer data protection under the Federal Communications Commission's rules for Customer Proprietary Network Information.

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Emergency Functionality Explanation Document:

The company maintains emergency backup power for the local distribution plant, central office and transmission facilities that keep the company functional during an emergency which deprives the company equipment of commercial electrical power.

The central office facility is powered with commercial electric power and battery banks that continue power to the office and transmission equipment for a period of 8 hours in the event of a power source outage. The central office is equipped with a natural gas and propane powered generator with unlimited fuel capacity to continue supplying power in the event of a power outage. The company can remain operational in the situation.

The company's customer distribution network transmission equipment, field cabinets and customer pedestal electronics have power backup that will provide 8 hours of service in the event of a commercial power outage. Backup generators provide additional power sources in the event of a long-lasting commercial power outage.

The company has additional route capacity and Emergency Stand Alone equipment to keep emergency service (911 service) available in the event of an emergency situation.

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(30054) Operating Report for Priority-Held Rate of Return Carriers

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CERTIFICATION

We hereby certify that the entries in this report are in accordance with the accounts and other records of the system and reflect the status of the system to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Signature		Date	
ASSETS		PART A. BALANCE SHEET	
	BALANCE PRIOR YEAR	BALANCE END OF PERIOD	LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY
CURRENT ASSETS			CURRENT LIABILITIES
1. Cash and Equivalents			25. Accounts Payable
2. Cash-RUS Construction Fund			26. Notes Payable
3. Affiliates:			27. Advance Billings and Payments
a. Telecom, Accounts Receivable			28. Customer Deposits
b. Other Accounts Receivable			29. Current Mat. L/T Debt
c. Notes Receivable			30. Current Mat. L/T Debt-Rur. Dev.
4. Non-Affiliates:			31. Current Mat.-Capital Leases
a. Telecom, Accounts Receivable			32. Income Taxes Accrued
b. Other Accounts Receivable			33. Other Taxes Accrued
c. Notes Receivable			34. Other Current Liabilities
5. Interest and Dividends Receivable			35. Total Current Liabilities (25 thru 34)
6. Material-Regulated			LONG-TERM DEBT
7. Material-Nonregulated			36. Funded Debt-RUS Notes
8. Prepayments			37. Funded Debt-RTB Notes
9. Other Current Assets			38. Funded Debt-FFB Notes
10. Total Current Assets (1 Thru 9)			39. Funded Debt-Other
			40. Funded Debt-Rural Develop. Loan
NONCURRENT ASSETS			41. Premium (Discount) on L/T Debt
1. Investment in Affiliated Companies			42. Recquired Debt
a. Rural Development			43. Obligations Under Capital Lease
b. Nonrural Development			44. Adv. From Affiliated Companies
2. Other Investments			45. Other Long-Term Debt
a. Rural Development			46. Total Long-Term Debt (36 thru 45)
b. Nonrural Development			OTHER LIAB. & DEF. CREDITS
3. Nonregulated Investments			47. Other Long-Term Liabilities
4. Other Noncurrent Assets			48. Other Deferred Credits
5. Deferred Charges			49. Other Jurisdictional Differences
6. Jurisdictional Differences			50. Total Other Liabilities and Deferred Credits (47 thru 49)
7. Total Noncurrent Assets (11 thru 16)			EQUITY
PLANT, PROPERTY, AND EQUIPMENT			51. Cap. Stock Outstanding & Subscribed
8. Telecom, Plant-in-Service			52. Additional Paid-in-Capital
9. Property Held for Future Use			53. Treasury Stock
10. Plant Under Construction			54. Membership and Cap. Certificates
11. Plant Adj., Nonop. Plant & Goodwill			55. Other Capital
12. Less Accumulated Depreciation			56. Patronage Capital Credits
13. Net Plant (18 thru 21 less 22)			57. Retained Earnings or Margins
			58. Total Equity (51 thru 57)
14. TOTAL ASSETS (10+17+23)			59. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY (35+46+50+58)

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PART B. STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS OR MARGINS		
ITEM	PRIOR YEAR	THIS YEAR
1. Local Network Services Revenues		
2. Network Access Services Revenues		
3. Long Distance Network Services Revenues		
4. Carrier Billing and Collection Revenues		
5. Miscellaneous Revenues		
6. Uncollectible Revenues		
7. Net Operating Revenues (1 thru 5 less 6)		
8. Plant Specific Operations Expense		
9. Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense (Excluding Depreciation & Amortization)		
10. Depreciation Expense		
1. Amortization Expense		
2. Customer Operations Expense		
3. Corporate Operations Expense		
4. Total Operating Expenses (8 thru 13)		
5. Operating Income or Margins (7 less 14)		
6. Other Operating Income and Expenses		
7. State and Local Taxes		
8. Federal Income Taxes		
9. Other Taxes		
10. Total Operating Taxes (17+18+19)		
1. Net Operating Income or Margins (15+16-20)		
2. Interest on Funded Debt		
3. Interest Expense - Capital Leases		
4. Other Interest Expense		
5. Allowance for Funds Used During Construction		
6. Total Fixed Charges (22+23+24-25)		
7. Nonoperating Net Income		
8. Extraordinary Items		
9. Jurisdictional Differences		
10. Nonregulated Net Income		
1. Total Net Income or margins (21+27+28+29+30-26)		
2. Total Taxes Based on Income		
3. Retained Earnings or Margins Beginning-of-Year		
4. Miscellaneous Credits Year-to-Date		
5. Dividends Declared (Common)		
6. Dividends Declared (Preferred)		
7. Other Debits Year-to-Date		
8. Transfers to Patronage Capital		
9. Retained Earnings or Margins end-of-Period $[(31+33+34)-(35+36+37+38)]$		
10. Patronage Capital Beginning-of-Year		
1. Transfers to Patronage Capital		
2. Patronage Capital Credits Retired		
3. Patronage Capital End-of-Year (40+41-42)		
4. Annual Debt Service Payments		
5. Cash Ratio $[(14+20-10-11)/7]$		
6. Operating Accrual Ratio $[(14+20+26)/7]$		
7. TIER $[(31+26)/26]$		
8. DSCR $[(31+26+10+11)/44]$		

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PART C. STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS	
1. Beginning Cash (Cash and Equivalents plus RUS Construction Fund)	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
2. Net Income	
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	
3. Add: Depreciation	
4. Add: Amortization	-
5. Other (Explain) Cellular Partnership	
Changes in Operating Assets and Liabilities	
6. Decrease/(Increase) in Accounts Receivable	
7. Decrease/(Increase) in Materials and Inventory	
8. Decrease/(Increase) in Prepayments and Deferred Charges	
9. Decrease/(Increase) in Other Current Assets	-
10. Increase/(Decrease) in Accounts Payable	
11. Increase/(Decrease) in Advance Billings & Payments	-
12. Increase/(Decrease) in Other Current Liabilities	
13. Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Operations	
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
14. Decrease/(Increase) in Notes Receivable	
15. Increase/(Decrease) in Notes Payable	
16. Increase/(Decrease) in Customer Deposits	
17. Net Increase/(Decrease) in Long Term Debt (Including Current Maturities)	
18. Increase/(Decrease) in Other Liabilities & Deferred Credits	
19. Increase/(Decrease) in Capital Stock, Paid-in Capital, Membership and Capital Certificates & Other Capital	
0. Less: Payment of Dividends	
1. Less: Patronage Capital Credits Retired	
2. Other (Explain)	
3. Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Financing Activities	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	
24 Net Capital Expenditures (Property, Plant & Equipment)	
5. Other Long-Term Investments	
6. Other Noncurrent Assets & Jurisdictional Differences	
7. Other (Explain)	
8. Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Investing Activities	
9. Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash	
0. Ending Cash	



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To the Board of Directors
American Broadband Acquisition Corp.
New York, New York

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Independent Auditor's Report

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of American Broadband Acquisition Corp. and Subsidiaries as of December 31, 2011 and 2010 and the related statements of operations, changes in stockholders' equity, and cash flows for the years then ended. These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of American Broadband Acquisition Corp. and Subsidiaries as of December 31, 2011 and 2010, and the results of their operations and their cash flows for the years then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Mize Houser & Company P.A.

Certified Public Accountants

Overland Park, Kansas
April 19, 2013



**MIZE & HOUSER
& COMPANY P.A.**

To the Board of Directors
American Broadband Acquisition Corp.
New York, New York

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Independent Auditor's Report

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We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of American Broadband Acquisition Corp. and Subsidiaries as of December 31, 2012 and 2011 and the related consolidated statements of operations, changes in stockholders' equity, and cash flows for the years then ended and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Basis for Qualified Opinion

We were unable to obtain audited financial statements supporting the Company's investment in an affiliate stated at \$3,224,634 at December 31, 2012, or its equity in earnings of that affiliate of \$1,111,419, which is included in net income for the year then ended as described in Note 1 to the consolidated financial statements; nor were we able to satisfy ourselves as to the carrying value of the investment in the affiliate or the equity in its earnings by other auditing procedures.

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Independent Auditor's Report (continued)

Qualified Opinion

In our opinion, except for the possible effects in the 2012 consolidated financial statements and the statements of operations, changes in stockholders' equity, and cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2012 of the matter described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion paragraph, the consolidated financial statements referred to in the first paragraph present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of American Broadband Acquisition Corp. and Subsidiaries as of December 31, 2012 and 2011, and the results of their operations and their cash flows for the years then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Mize Hauser & Company P.A.

Certified Public Accountants

Overland Park, Kansas
April 22, 2013